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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Brauer et al.)
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For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR)
DETERMINING A)
CHARACTERISTIC VALUE FOR)
THE PERFUSION OF MODIFIED)
TISSUE REGIONS IN ORGANS OF)
LIVING BEINGS)
Group Art Unit: 3736)
Examiner: To be assigned)

STATUS INQUIRY

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Sir:

Please advise when an official action can be expected in the above-identified
application.

Respectfully submitted,

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